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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**ADDRESS TO:****Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450****Attorney Docket No.:** 01-230
Application No.: 09/290,941
Filing Date: April 13, 1999
First Named Inventor: Dalgic et al.
Group Art Unit: 2666
Examiner: Ronald B. Abelson

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to and including October 27, 2004.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

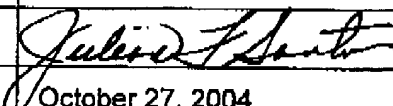
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$430.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

Name	Julian F. Santos
Reg. No.	47,917
Signature	
Date	October 27, 2004

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